

## Congratulations to the Race to Excellence Winners

On August 29, the *Race to Excellence* winners were recognized at the 2006 Association for Commuter Transportation International Conference in Boston, MA. Recipients who attended the conference took the stage to receive their awards and have pictures taken with the Regional Administrator Ira Leighton.

These awards recognize the tremendous efforts and achievements of individuals and organizations alike who are working to support transportation choices across the country and are promoting Best Workplaces for Commuters as a way to meet their objectives.

A total of 56 awards were given at three achievement levels (gold, silver, and bronze) to Employee Transportation Coordinators and BWC Network Members. This year there were new "Best of" awards, recognizing Employee Transportation Coordinators from Best Workplaces for Commuters employers in three important industry sectors: BWC Districts, FORTUNE 500 Companies, and Universities.

### 'Best of' Awards



**Best of Universities**  
**Stephanie Manning**  
Stanford



**Best of FORTUNE 500 Companies**  
**Wendy Weaver**  
The Boeing Company (WA)



**Best of BWC Districts**  
**Marc McGuire**  
Bishop Ranch  
Transportation Association

### Gold - ETCs

AstraZeneca, Doris Pudlo  
Baker Hughes, Jeana Hartman  
Bishop Ranch, Marc McGuire  
California Polytechnic State, Susan Rains  
City of Fort Worth, Haily Summerford  
Los Angeles World Airports, Devon Deming  
Philips Semiconductors, Steve Cantor  
Stanford University, Stephanie Manning  
State of Arizona, Abigail Cooksey-Williams  
The Boeing Company, Wendy Weaver  
Yahoo!, Danielle Bricker

### Gold - BWC Network

Hacienda Business Park  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
MetroPool, Inc  
Pima Association of Governments  
San Diego Association of Governments TransOptions  
Triangle Best Workplaces for Commuters  
Valley Metro/RPTA



**Gold Level Winners present at Awards Ceremony**

### Silver - ETCs

Ada County Highway District, Kristin Lundstrom  
Cartus, Mark Langdon  
City of Anaheim, Lee Ertel  
City of Henderson, Leslie Montisano  
City of Pleasanton, Lisa Adamos  
Georgia Power, Jane Franklin  
Safeco Insurance, Brady Clark  
Virginia Tech, Debby Freed  
Wyeth, Jessica Barron

### Silver - BWC Network

A Better City TMA  
Campus Area TMA  
Citizens for Modern Transit  
CommuterLink  
FlatIron Improvement District  
Greater Boston BWC Partnership  
North Texas Clean Air Coalition  
Smart Trips  
South Florida Commuter Services  
University of Michigan



**Silver Level Winners present at Awards Ceremony**

### Bronze - ETCs

Anoka County TMO, Renee Sande  
Central Arizona Project, Renee Finch  
Motorola, Todd Johnson  
New York Presbyterian Hospital, Willa Brody  
People's Bank, Marisol Rodriguez  
Sacramento Municipal Utility District, Patti Lum  
SRI International, Sandra Hinzmann  
The RETEC Group, Inc., Stefanie Young  
University of Pittsburgh, Janet Thomas  
Washington Mutual, Bonnie Bray  
Xerox - El Segundo, Suzanne Sullivan

### Bronze - BWC Network

City of Mesa  
Ecology and Environment, Inc.  
Harford County Government/Harford  
Commuter Assistance  
LexisNexis  
MassRIDES  
Textron (Bell Helicopter)  
Upper Valley Rideshare



**Bronze Level Winners present at Awards Ceremony**

Welcome to 103 new Best Workplaces for Commuters in July & August, 2006, covering 71,923 employees!

<b>Total Employers Recognized:</b>	1,687
<b>Total Employees Covered:</b>	3,451,761

Industry	Employer	City	State
<b>Airlines &amp; Aerospace</b>	American Airlines Southern Reservation Office	Fort Worth	TX
<b>Banking, Financial, &amp; Insurance</b>	Ameriprise Financial	Pleasanton	CA
	EvergreenBank	Seattle	WA
	Fifth Third Bank	Tampa	FL
	ING Funds	Scottsdale	AZ
	Rogers & Norman, Inc.	Seattle	WA
	Symetra Financial	Belleue	WA
	The Hartford WPLCSC	Phoenix	AZ
	The Myers Associates PC	Seattle	WA
	U. S. Bank	Seattle	WA
<b>Biotechnology</b>	Seattle Biomedical Research Institute	Seattle	WA
<b>Colleges &amp; Universities</b>	Cal Poly Pomona University	Pomona	CA
	Champlain College	Burlington	VT
	International Institute of the Americas	Phoenix	AZ
	Texas Transportation Institute	Houston	TX
	University of Nevada, Reno	Reno	NV
<b>Computer Software &amp; Internet</b>	Expedia, Inc.	Belleue	WA
	FileNet Corporation	Kirkland	WA
	Google Inc	Mountain View	CA
	Oracle Corporation USA	Belleue	WA
	Oracle Corporation USA	Portland	OR
	Zantaz.com	Pleasanton	CA
<b>Computers &amp; Electronics</b>	IBM - Boca Raton	Boca Raton	FL
	IBM - Hazelwood	Hazelwood	MO
	IBM - Piscataway	Piscataway	NJ
	Intel Corporation - Texas	Austin	TX
	Intel Corporation - Utah	Riverton	UT
	Teradyne, Inc.	North Reading	MA
<b>Consulting, Employment &amp; Business Serv.</b>	Intel Corporation - Colorado	Colorado Springs	CO
	Pyramid Screening Technology, Inc.	Pleasanton	CA
	Redwood Capital Advisors, LLC	Pleasanton	CA
	Strategic Sustainability Consulting	Bethesda	MD
	The Code Works Inc.	San Jose	CA
<b>Energy &amp; Fossil Fuels</b>	Cascade Natural Gas Corporation	Seattle	WA

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<b>Engineering, Construction &amp; Architecture</b>	Enviro Forensics	Pleasanton	CA
	Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.	Phoenix	AZ
	Malcolm Pirnie, Inc.	Phoenix	AZ
	Netherland, Sewell & Associates, Inc.	Dallas	TX
	Netherland, Sewell & Associates, Inc.	Houston	TX
	TKG Consulting Engineers	San Diego	CA
	TKG Consulting Engineers	Seattle	WA
	Todd & Associates, Inc.	Phoenix	AZ
<b>Entertainment, Hospitality &amp; Tourism</b>	Holland America Line	Seattle	WA
	Hunter Travel Managers	Pleasanton	CA
	Jackson Hole Mountain Resort	Teton Village	WY
	Renaissance Scottsdale Resort	Scottsdale	AZ
	The Wigwam Golf Resort and Spa	Litchfield Park	AZ
<b>Food &amp; Beverage</b>	Big Apple Bagel	Pleasanton	CA
	Safeway Inc.	Pleasanton	CA
	Starbucks Coffee Company	Seattle	WA
<b>Government, City &amp; County</b>	City of Benicia	Benicia	CA
	City of Cambridge	Cambridge	MA
	City of Elk Grove	Elk Grove	CA
	City of Plano - City Hall	Plano	TX
	City of Renton	Renton	WA
	City of Rio Vista	Rio Vista	CA
	Pinal County	Florence	AZ
<b>Government, Federal &amp; Military</b>	General Services Administration	Fort Worth	TX
	U.S. Bankruptcy Court	Dallas	TX
	U.S. Department of Health & Human Services	Dallas	TX
	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission	Arlington	TX
<b>Government, State</b>	North Carolina Community College System	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Commerce	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Crime Control and Public Safety	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Information Technology Services	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Insurance	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Justice	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of Revenue	Raleigh	NC
	North Carolina Department of State Treasurer	Raleigh	NC

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<b>Hospitals &amp; Health Services</b>	Group Health Cooperative	Seattle	WA
	Harborview Medical Center	Seattle	WA
	McKesson Provider Technologies	Scottsdale	AZ
	Minor & James Medical Clinic	Seattle	WA
<b>Legal</b>	Heller Ehrman LLP	Seattle	WA
	Sacks Tierney P.A.	Scottsdale	AZ
	Christensen O'Connor Johnson Kindness PLLC	Seattle	WA
<b>Manufacturing (except computer)</b>	Schreiber Foods, Inc.	Tempe	AZ
	Spacelabs Healthcare	Issaquah	WA
<b>Marketing, Advertising &amp; PR</b>	Engage PR	Alameda	CA
	Engage PR	Arlington	VA
	RTS Marketing Research	Houston	TX
<b>Nonprofit Organizations &amp; Associations</b>	Greater Dallas Chamber	Dallas	TX
	TERROS, Inc.	Phoenix	AZ
<b>Pharmaceuticals</b>	Cato Research Ltd.	Durham	NC
	Wyeth	Pearl River	NY
<b>Retail &amp; Mail Order</b>	IKEA Arizona, LLC	Tempe	AZ
	REI	Kent	WA
<b>Telecommunications</b>	Verizon	Marlborough	MA
<b>Transportation Demand Management</b>	Greater Redmond TMA	Redmond	WA
<b>Transportation Service Providers</b>	Carlson Wagonlit Travel - Phoenix BTSC	Phoenix	AZ
	Greyhound Lines	Dallas	TX
	Veolia Transportation	Tempe	AZ
<b>Other Products &amp; Services</b>	Coulter Motor Co.	Tempe	AZ
	Desert Highlands	Scottsdale	AZ
	Edward Jones	Pleasanton	CA
	Greenfield Advisors LLC	Seattle	WA
	MiniCo, Inc.	Phoenix	AZ
	Phoenix Job Corps / ResCare	Phoenix	AZ
	Rapidigm, Inc.	Pleasanton	CA
	Washington State Bar Association	Seattle	WA

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